

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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NOTICE OF WORKSHOP

DOCKET NO. 2012-353-E

**GENERIC PROCEEDING TO EXPLORE A FORMAL REQUEST OF
RESOLUTE FOREST PRODUCTS TO INCREASE THE INTEREST RATE ON
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS FOR ELECTRIC UTILITIES**

Resolute Forest Products filed an application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina requesting to increase the interest rate on customer deposits for electric utilities to 8% per annum. According to Resolute Forest Products' filing, the higher interest rate will allow customers that are required to provide a customer deposit with more favorable options such as, a higher return on cash deposits so that businesses like Resolute Forest Products can utilize its cash more efficiently.

The Commission in its Order No. 2012-880 held that this matter would be best addressed through a generic hearing where the electric utilities and their customers can present their positions and recommendations.

A workshop will be held on **Thursday, February 28, 2013, at 10:30 a.m.** before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room, Synergy Business Park, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina. Persons who are interested in participating in the workshop should notify the Commission in writing no later than **January 28, 2013**. Please refer to Docket No. 2012-353-E.

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